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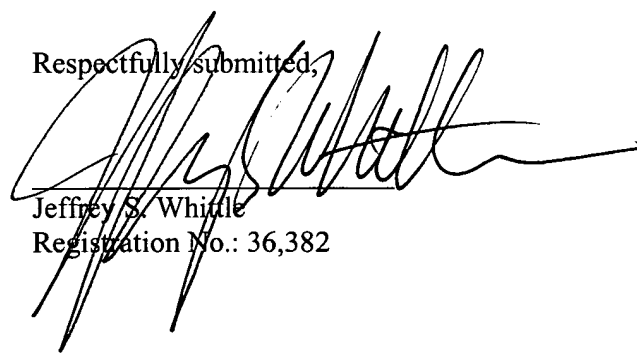
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Dear Sir:

In response to the restriction requirement set forth in the Office Action mailed October 23, 2003, Applicant hereby provisionally elects Claims 82-101, without traverse. Applicant submits that generic claims are included in this election and that the other claims, including dependent claims, should be included in further prosecution of the elected claims.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge or credit any fees to the deposit account of Bracewell & Patterson, L.L.P., 50-0259 (Attorney Docket Number 064832.05)

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